

# Duau language

**Duau** is a dialectically diverse Austronesian language spoken in the D'Entrecasteaux Islands of Papua New Guinea. It is spoken in Duau Rural LLG.<sup>[3]</sup>

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<b>Duau</b>	
<b>Native to</b>	Papua New Guinea
<b>Region</b>	Milne Bay Province
<b>Native speakers</b>	(3,600 cited 1991) <sup>[1]</sup>
<b>Language family</b>	Austronesian <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Malayo-Polynesian</li> <li>▪ Oceanic</li> <li>▪ Western Oceanic</li> <li>▪ Papuan Tip</li> <li>▪ Nuclear Papuan Tip</li> <li>▪ North Papuan Mainland – D'Entrecasteaux</li> <li>▪ Dobu–Duau</li> <li>▪ Duau</li> </ul>
<b>Dialects</b>	Dawada Guleguleu Mwalukwasia Siausi Somwadina
<b>Language codes</b>	
<b>ISO 639-3</b>	dva
<b>Glottolog</b>	<a href="http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/duau1237">duau1237</a> ( <a href="http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/duau1237">http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/duau1237</a> ) <sup>[2]</sup>

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